Gwalior-Jaipur Express

†1397. SHRIMATI MAYA SINGH: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the concerned State Government have urged upon Government several times to start Gwalior-Jaipur Express train;

(b) if so, whether the same suggestion has been forwarded again recently on June 29, 2005;

(c) if so, whether Government have considered the proposal, so far; and

(d) by when this express train is likely to be started?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU): (a) to (d) Some representations have been received for introduction of train between Gwalior and Jaipur. The matter has been examined but it has not been found feasible due to operational constraints.

Change in the time schedule of Kaifiyat Express

†1398. SHRI DARA SINGH CHAUHAN: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the reasons for not enforcing the proposed changes in the time schedule of 4025/4026 Kaifiyat Express since 1st July, 2005;

(b) whether his ministry has fixed the time-table of the said train keeping in mind that it reaches New Delhi around seven O' clock in the morning even after its proposed halts in Barabanki, Ayodhya and Akbarpur;

(c) if so, the reasons for non-implementation of the proposal; and

(d) if not, by when the said proposal for change in schedule alongwith halt point, would be implemented?

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